*Aaron’s Civil War*

Read the book *Aaron’s Civil War,* by Romaine Stauffer, published by Christian Light Publications, 2011.

Questions and activities to supplement and enhance the reading:

1. Track Aaron’s faith development.
2. How did Aaron change his view of war?
3. Keep a list of the local/Lancaster County places mentioned in the book.
4. List the Civil War battles mentioned in the book, along with their locations and dates.
5. How did the war affect Aaron’s convictions?
6. Write about the Anabaptist beliefs on war and fighting. Think about: What does Jesus say about fighting and enemies? The Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5-7) and the preface of this book have helpful points.
7. What consequences did Aaron face as a result of his fighting in the war and the wrong choices he made?
8. Write your personal convictions about dealing with enemies, and fighting and war. Support this with scripture.

We used this book with 8th grade U.S. History class. Each student had a copy of the book which they read on their own. Sometimes they read portions of the book in class and had discussions.